

By: Johnson of Harris

H.B. No. 1421

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 1421:

By: White

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to a report by the Texas Department of Criminal Justice
3 regarding inmate grievances.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. Section 501.008, Government Code, is amended by
6 adding Subsection (g) to read as follows:

7 (g) The department shall submit a quarterly report
8 regarding inmate grievances to the governor, the lieutenant
9 governor, the state auditor, and each member of the legislature.
10 The report must include the number and types of inmate grievances
11 received by the department, aggregated and disaggregated by
12 individual facility.

13 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.